Springs CHARTER SCHOOLS
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Dear Springs Charter Schools Graduating Senior and Parents/Guardians,

As we enter the final semester of your high school journey, please continue to work closely with your teachers to submit current class assignments and turn in make-up work that you've completed at home. Parents, we encourage you to keep in touch with your child's teacher and Guidance Counselor to ensure that adequate progress is occurring and your student is on track to graduate. If you need to confirm your Guidance Counselor's contact information you can call the Guidance Department at 951-252-8833.

Graduation Registration opens February 8, 2017

Online graduation registration needs to be completed for all seniors; regardless of whether the student plans to attend the graduation ceremony. **The deadline to complete the Graduation Registration Form is April 30, 2017.**

To complete the registration, please visit our website www.SpringsCharterSchools.org

Click on Events > Student Events > Social Events > Graduation 2017 | Or type "Graduation" into the search bar

Graduating seniors may participate in the Graduation Ceremony if:

- The student has completed their graduation requirements (or is within 5-10 units of completing graduation course work AND is enrolled in summer school).
  **If you anticipate that your student may not meet the 230 unit graduation requirement we encourage you to be in touch early and often with your Guidance Counselor to discuss options and opportunities.*
- The student is in "good standing" in regard to citizenship and behavior. Participation in graduation ceremonies is a privilege. Students will be notified in writing if the privilege to participate in graduation ceremonies has been withdrawn based on non-academic issues.

Graduation from high school is a momentous occasion in life. It is a very special time for parents, relatives, friends, teachers and school staff who have given their support and share in the graduate's excitement. Thank you for being a positive influence in the life of your graduate, and thank you to our graduates for their hard work and perseverance. All of us look forward to an enjoyable and meaningful graduation ceremony. Again, congratulations to you, the high school graduate. Be proud to be a member of the Class of 2017…ready for the challenges and opportunities that await you!

Graduation Ceremony:

Date/Time:	Graduates must	Location: Murrieta	Address:	Tickets are
Saturday, June 17, 2017 Begins promptly at 4pm	arrive by **3:00pm** for rehearsal	Mesa High School (Football Stadium)	24801 Monroe Avenue, Murrieta, CA 92562	NOT required

Important Information regarding the Graduation Ceremony, as well as many festivities coming up over the next 6 months, is included below. Please take an opportunity to read through this information carefully and completely ASAP to avoid missing any deadlines/activities.

Questions can be directed to the Executive Department at 951-252-8800 or receptionist@springscs.org

Cap, Gown, and Tassel Information

Students MUST wear solid black caps and gowns (with black tassels) in order to participate in the graduation ceremony. Students have the option of purchasing those items OR borrowing from a sibling/friend.

To order your cap, gown, tassel and other graduation products, go online to www.jostens.com and use **River Springs Charter in Temecula, CA** as your school (regardless of which campus your attend). Click on Caps & Gowns and scroll to the bottom of the page. The cap/gown/tassel package is $47. You can call Jostens at 1-877- 475-7027 if you have questions. We recommend you order any additional merchandise that you would like from Jostens at the same time to save on shipping.
TIP: Some optional Graduation Products may be worth price shopping from other places. (i.e. Walmart has class rings)

You need to place your order by April 24, 2017, to be assured of receiving your cap and gown by graduation.
Ordering any later than April 24 will result in needing to pay rush shipping fees to get your items on time.
Orders placed with Jostens will be shipped to the address you provide - NOT the school.
If purchasing a cap and gown presents a financial hardship,
please contact our office at 951-252-8800 to discuss alternate options.

Tassels

When ordering cap/gown through Jostens the tassel **is included**.
However, some students elect to order an additional tassel. Students who are borrowing cap/gown from a sibling/friend will likely want to purchase a tassel as well. Jostens has options for tassels, but you also have the option of purchasing a 2017 black tassel from Springs for $10. **Deadline to provide payment is April 24, 2017.**
You will have an opportunity to order tassel(s) on the Graduation Registration form. *If you would like to order a tassel and have already submitted your registration form please contact our office at 951-252-8800.*

Sashes

Graduates will be provided a sash on the day of the ceremony, which MUST be returned before leaving the stadium. Each graduate will wear a colored sash designating their school program.

Homeschool = Purple	Aviation = Green	Venture = Blue
Renaissance (RRWA) = Red	Keys = Orange	

Sashes are $15 if you would like to purchase one to keep. You will have the opportunity to purchase the sash on the Graduation Registration form. *If you would like to purchase your sash and have already submitted your registration form please contact our office at 951-252-8800.* **Payment must be provided prior to the graduation ceremony.**

Student Performances at the Ceremony

Students may indicate their interest in speaking and/or singing on the Graduation Registration form.
If you would like to express your interest in performing and have already submitted your registration form please contact our office at 951-252-8800 ASAP.
The final deadline to submit any speeches or vocal performances is April 28, 2017

Prom and Grad Night

Please see the attached calendar for dates/times. Additional information will be made available on the website.

Contact your Guidance Counselor ASAP if you are unsure whether or not you are on track to graduate

Countdown to Graduation



JANUARY

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

JAN 18	Senior Cap/Gown Portraits at Pathfinder Riverside 9-11a
JAN 25	Senior Cap/Gown Portraits at Pathfinder Riverside 9-11a
FEB 2	Senior Cap/Gown Portraits at Hemet Girard 10-11:30a
FEB 6	Prom tickets go on sale
FEB 8	Graduation Registration opens
FEB 14	Senior Cap/Gown Portraits at Temecula Student Center
FEB 28	Last day to buy early bird prom tickets for $60
MAR 1	Deadline to register for Mag/FAPA Disney Grad Nite
MAR 1	Prom ticket price goes up to $75
MAR 21	Senior Cap/Gown Portraits at Corona Keys 3-5pm
APR 7	Last day to buy tickets for Prom.
APR 15	Deadline to register for Temecula Disney Grad Nite
APR 24	Last day to order cap/gown/tassel
APR 28	Prom Night
APR 30	LAST DAY to Register for Graduation Ceremony.
MAY 5	Magnolia/FAPA Grad Nite to Disney
JUN 13	Last Day of School!
JUN 14	Temecula Grad Nite to Disney
JUN 17	Graduation Ceremony at 4pm (Murrieta Mesa HS)

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Springs CHARTER SCHOOLS

Class of 2017

SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOLS CLASS OF 2017 - IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE	INFO
JAN 18 9-11a	**Senior Cap/Gown Yearbook Portraits**	Pathfinder Resource Center 4260 Tequesquite Ave, Riverside, CA 92501	**Students should plan to attend the portrait session at the location where they attend classes or the session that is most convenient. All Seniors are welcome. Students should come "dressed up" in formal attire. Cap/Gown and colored Sash denoting program of enrollment will be provided for the purpose of these portraits. More info is on our website.**
JAN 25 9-11a	**Senior Cap/Gown Yearbook Portraits**	Pathfinder Resource Center 4260 Tequesquite Ave, Riverside, CA 92501	
FEB 2 10-11:30a	**Senior Cap/Gown Yearbook Portraits**	Hemet Student Center 105 N. Girard St, Hemet, CA 92544	
FEB 6	**Prom tickets go on sale. Early bird price $60**	Prom is open to ALL Seniors in all programs.	Search "Prom" on the website for ordering information
FEB 8	**First day to register to receive your Diploma and attend the Graduation Ceremony.**	**ALL** Graduating Seniors need to complete the registration form regardless of your intention to attend the graduation ceremony.	Search "Graduation" on the website for registration information
FEB 14 9-11:30a	**Senior Cap/Gown Yearbook Portraits**	Temecula Student Center 43040 Margarita Rd, Temecula, CA 92592	**See above.**
FEB 28	**Last day to buy early bird prom tickets $60**		Search "Prom" on the website for ordering information
MAR 1	**Deadline to register: Mag/FAPA/Hemet Disney Grad Nite**		Search "Grad Nite" on the website for registration information
MAR 1	**Prom ticket price goes up to $75**		Search "Prom" on the website for ordering information
MAR 21 3-5p	**Senior Cap/Gown Yearbook Portraits**	Corona Keys Study Zone 1861 California Ave, Corona, CA 92879	**See above.**
APR 7	**Last day to buy tickets for Prom.**		Search "Prom" on the website for ordering information
APR 15	**Deadline to register: Temecula Disney Grad Nite**		Search "Grad Nite" on the website for registration information.
APR 24	**Last day to order black cap/gown/tassel**	To place order visit Jostens.com - all students input River Springs Charter School, Temecula	**Tassels can be ordered separately from Springs via Grad Registration Form or email to receptionist@springscs.org**
APR 28 6-10p	**Prom Night**	Whispering Oaks Terrace 39417 Pala-Temecula Rd, Pala, CA 92059	**Tickets: $60 Early Bird, $75 after 3/1. All Seniors in all programs are welcome.**
APR 30	**LAST DAY to Register to receive your Diploma and attend the Graduation Ceremony.**	ALL Graduating Seniors need to complete registration even if not attending ceremony	Search "Graduation" on the website for registration information
MAY 5 10a-2a	**Mag/FAPA/Hemet Grad Nite to Disney**	Bus leaves from Pathfinder Resource Center 4260 Tequesquite Ave, Riverside, CA 92501	**Tickets $132. Students MUST register by 3/1/17 to attend. Hemet, Mag, FAPA, Homeschool, Venture, & Keys welcome**
JUN 13	**Last Day of School!**		
JUN 14	**Temecula Grad Nite to Disney**	Bus leaves from Temecula Student Center 43040 Margarita Rd, Temecula, CA 92592	**Tickets $120. Students MUST register by 4/15/17 to attend. TSC, Keys, Homeschool, & Venture welcome.**
JUN 17 4-6pm	**Graduation Ceremony**	Murrieta Mesa High School Stadium 24801 Monroe Ave, Murrieta, CA 92562	**Students MUST register by 4/30/17 to receive diploma and/or attend ceremony. No tickets necessary.**

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